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There isn't a man in the world more entitled to good
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Our Summer list of Haberdashery consists of a fine line of underwear,
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Full directions on each can. Price 20 cts. for full pound.
We give S. and H. Green Trading Stamps.

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Just received a new lot of Regal Shoes.

**The shoe that completes your
dress and comfort**

A new lot of Rag, Ingrain and Brussels Carpets
and Linoleums.

Special prices on Men's Rain Coats, Rubbers and
"Slipons" \$3.90, Youth's \$3.60.

Ladies' and Men's Dusters.

"Store Closed on Decoration Day."

G. H. KNOUSE, Biglerville.

SCHOOL BOARD REDUCES TAX

Gettysburg School Board again Finds
it Possible to Reduce Rate of
Taxation. Will Punish Law Break-
ing Parents.

For the second successive year the
Gettysburg School Board has found it
possible to reduce the tax rate and on
Thursday evening placed it for the
coming year at seven and one half
mills school tax and one mill building
tax. Last year it was eight and one
and the year previous seven and three
respective.

The decrease is made this year in
the hope that all outstanding back
taxes will be collected by Mr. Frock
before July 1. No less than \$4200 for
school purposes remains uncollected
and by the provisions of the new code
all back taxes must be collected or
exonerated before the new duplicate is
issued. Special efforts will accordingly
be made to get in as large a proportion
as possible of this money which will
allow the decrease without any em-
barassment in managing school
finances.

The School Board Thursday evening
also decided to take legal steps to pun-
ish several parents who have persist-
ently refused to assist Truant Officer
Utz in getting their children to school.
They will be fined if the charge is
sustained and, failing to pay the fine,
the other provisions of the law will be
invoked.

BONNEAUVILLE

Bonneauville, May 24—Miss Alice
Neel is spending three weeks with her
sister, Mrs. John Bennett, in Hanover.
Mr. and Mrs. John Miller were
Sunday visitors at the home of Luther
Senz and family in Gettysburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland Hartlaub,
of Gettysburg, spent Saturday evening
with Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Melhorn,
and also spent Sunday with Eli Palmer
and family.

Frank Hann, of York, spent Satur-
day and Sunday with his parents, Mr.
and Mrs. Ezra Hann.

Miss Alverta Smith, of Mt. Alto,
is spending some time with her sister,
Mrs. Jennie Smith.

Miss Bessie Stagg left Friday for
New York, where she will be employed.
Christian Gebhart and wife, spent
Sunday with Vincent Bushman and
family, in Hampton.

Miss Minnie Orndorff, of the Ship-
penburg Normal School, spent several
days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs.
Newton Orndorff.

Mr. and Mrs. William Swope, of
Gettysburg, spent Sunday with the
former's mother, Mrs. Noel.

Miss Mamie Herst, Mrs. Annie
Swartz and brother Paul Swartz, of
Spring Grove, made a hike to the
home of Mr. and Mrs. Landes Swope,
of this place, and also the home of
Clinton Rife, near Gettysburg. The
trip was much enjoyed.

Miss Jennie Collins, of Littlestown,
spent a few days at her home in this
place.

Mrs. Clinton Gebhart spent Tues-
day in White Hall, the guest of Mar-
tin Gebhart and family.

NEW CHESTER

New Chester, May 24—Mrs. G. F.
Witter visited friends in Hanover on
Monday.

L. H. Pottorff and family spent
Sunday with Holtz Myers and family,
of near Hampton.

Misses Georgianna Trimmer and
Linda Haverstock spent Sunday with
Mr. Slaybaugh and family, of near
Hampton.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Frazier, of
Gettysburg, spent Sunday with Mr.
and Mrs. M. A. Wentz.

Miss Margaret Winand spent Wednes-
day in Hanover.

Luther Shank and family, of York,
spent Sunday with his parents, Mr.
and Mrs. William Shank.

Mrs. Laura Heikes of Qualityville and
Mrs. Elizabeth Hubick of New Oxford,
spent Sunday with L. T. Eberhart, and
family.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Frostle, of
near East Berlin, spent Friday with
Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Shull.

Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Eberhart spent
Saturday in York Springs.

Mrs. C. E. Winand, Mrs. Lina
Haverstick and Jacob Emlet spent
Tuesday in Hanover.

FESTIVAL at Salem U. B. church,
Gulcan's, Saturday evening, May 25.
If weather is unfavorable Saturday
evening festival will be held on Mon-
day evening.

READ about the good houses to be
sold cheap on the installment plan, in
today's Times. Then go and see about
buying one. You will never get a
better chance to own your own home,
Don't wait till too late.

TRIED TO STEAL OUR CONVENTION

York Made Eleventh Hour Effort to
Take away Gettysburg Convent-
ion but Opposition quickly Devel-
oped and Plan Failed.

Shortly before the adjournment of
the state convention of Odd Fellows at
Reading Thursday afternoon an at-
tempt was made by York to take from
Gettysburg next year's meeting of the
order. Friends of this place at once
put up vigorous opposition and the
plan was defeated.

Earlier in the day a representative
of the Philadelphia delegation had
approached E. E. Slaybaugh, saying
that he believed the selection of
Gettysburg on Wednesday was a mis-
take inasmuch as he understood the
streets would be torn up for improve-
ments and that other things would
contribute to make the town unfit to
entertain the convention next May.
Mr. Slaybaugh told him the true state
of affairs and said that he would not
entertain for a moment any suggestion
to take up the matter again.

This was not sufficient, however,
and as the convention was preparing
to adjourn ex Mayor Weaver, of York,
in a long speech in which he told of
the beauty and advantages of his city,
asked the Grand Lodge to reconsider
its action of Wednesday and meet at
York instead of Gettysburg next year.
This suggestion was immediately op-
posed by the Gettysburg adherents.

The chief argument was that Gettys-
burg is not in a position to entertain
the members of the Grand Lodge be-
cause of a lack of hotel accommoda-
tions. A resolution was offered, to
meet at York instead of Gettysburg,
but was promptly defeated.

IRON SPRINGS

Iron Springs, May 24—Mrs. Hattie
Baker and Miss Lottie Reed spent last
Wednesday in Gettysburg.

Mrs. Susan McPherson and daughter,
in law, Mrs. Edward McPherson, of
Gettysburg, visited her parents, Mr.
and Mrs. Emanuel Izer last week a few
days.

Snakes are reported very plentiful
this season. George Sanders killed a
black snake 6 feet and 7 inches long.

Miss Carrie Carbaugh and little
Miss Margaret Stoner, of York, spent
a few days recently with the former's
parents.

Harry King brakeman on the local
freight train of the Western Maryland,
had his foot badly mangled while shift-
ing cars at this place on Monday morn-
ing and was taken to the Hagerstown
hospital on the noon train.

The men began on the concrete
work of the Tom's Creek trestle on last
Wednesday.

Mearle Reese, son of Mr. and Mrs.
John Reese accidentally shot himself
while on his way to Ephraim Reese's
home one day last week. The shot
lodged in his left arm, some in his
hip and hand. He is getting along all
right.

Lillie Heagy is suffering with an
abscess on her foot.

D. R. McClellan who was spending
some time with his family returned
to Virginia on last Thursday.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

A very enjoyable birthday party
was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs.
L. T. Eberhart, New Chester, last
Thursday evening in honor of Mrs.
Eberhart's birthday. Those present

were: Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Eberhart,
Rev. E. E. Dietterich, Mr. and Mrs.
J. C. Leivelsperger, Mr. and Mrs.
Harry Zepp, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton
Wagner, Mr. and Mrs. Addison Leer,
Mr. and Mrs. Levi Dearborn, Mr. and
Mrs. David Sharrer, Mr. and Mrs.
Galt Weaver, Mr. and Mrs. Robert
Weaver, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Wag-
ner, Mr. and Mrs. George Fitzgerald,
Mr. and Mrs. J. Frank March, Mr. and
Mrs. George Emlet, Mr. and Mrs.
Harley Wagner, Mr. and Mrs. Robert
Eisenhart, Mrs. Cecelia Myers, Mrs.
C. E. Winand, Mr. and Mrs. G. F.
Trimmer, Messrs. John Dicks, Harvey
Hoffman, Harper Howe, Earl Cooley,
George Taughinbaugh, Harry Cooley,
Raymond Wilt, Melvin Emlet, Frank
Wentz, Wilbert Sowers, Monroa Hooper,
Emory Rowe, Melvin Sharrer, Will
Weaver, Robert Hoffman, Raymond
Thomas, George Millhimes, David
Kime, Walter Smith, Waldin Sharrer,
Edgar Leer, Luther Thomas, John
Wolf, Earl Colestock, William E.
Weaver, Harry Hulick, Roy Kreber,
and W. F. Shull, Mr. and Mrs. Her-
man Beamer, Mrs. Jennie Meekley,
Mrs. Jennie Cashman, Misses Mattie
Dicks, Katie Sponseller, Linda Haver-
stick, Ollie Sharrer, Genevieve
Sharrer, Catherine Cashman, Margie
Kime, Kathryn Taughinbaugh, Sadie
Meekley, Hilda Colestock, Beulah
Wentz, Lovina Leer, Grace Howe,
Mae Beamer, Georgianna Trimmer,
Sarah Cashman, Mary March, Anna
Weaver, Susanna Eberhart, Alta
Trimmer, Robt. Weaver, Lindora
Wagner, Esther Zepp, Annie Thomas,
Esther Taughinbaugh.

THOSE TAKEN BY HAND OF DEATH

Mrs. J. Cassatt Neely Dies at her
Home on Lincoln Avenue. Mrs.
Joseph Himes Dies in Baltimore
and Mrs. Demarest in Louisville.

MRS. J. C. NEELY

Mrs. Alice Schmuecker Neely died
at 9:20 Thursday evening at her home
on Lincoln avenue from complications
following neuritis with which she had
been suffering for several months.
She was aged 70 years, 2 months and
21 days.

Mrs. Neely was born in Gettysburg,
a daughter of Dr. and Mrs. S. S.
Schmuecker, a member of one of the
town's oldest and most representative
families. She was highly respected
and leaves a large circle of friends.

Her marriage to J. Cassatt Neely
took place on May 2, 1865. Her hus-
band died on May 24, 1894, just eight-
teen years ago today, and she leaves
three children, Miss Sarah Cassatt
Neely and S. S. Neely, Esq., of Lin-
coln avenue; and Mrs. D. W. Woods,
of Freedom township. She also leaves
two sisters, Mrs. William Duncan of
Lincoln avenue; and Mrs. Benjamin
Sautler, of Baltimore. Another sister,
Mrs. Josephine Sueserott, died in
Gettysburg on the evening of May 9.

The funeral will be held on Saturday
afternoon at two o'clock at her late
home. Rev. Franklin E. Taylor and
Dr. H. W. McKnight will conduct the
services. Interment in Evergreen
cemetery.

DIES IN WEST

Miss Caroline F. Krautter, formerly
of East Berlin, died at the home of
her sister, Mrs. John Crist, at Oak
land, California, the latter part of
April. She was aged 95 years.

The Krautter family at one time
lived in East Berlin at the home now
occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Franklin
Eisenhart. They moved to California
forty or more years ago where they
have since resided.

MRS. J. H. HIMES

Mrs. Joseph H. Himes died in Balti-
more at 11:45 Tuesday morning from
spinal meningitis. Mrs. Himes' ma-
iden name was Miss Mabel Carna-
han and she was well known here and
in New Oxford where she had visited
frequently. The body was taken to Can-
ton, Ohio, her former home, for inter-
ment on Thursday.

MRS. AGNEW DEMAREST

Mrs. Agnew Demarest died last week
in Louisville, Kentucky. She was 26
years old and leaves her husband and
two children.

FAIRFIELD

Fairfield, May 24—The memorial
sermon will be preached in the Re-
formed church Sunday afternoon at
2:30 o'clock by Rev. Charles Dalzell
of the Presbyterian church. Every-
body invited, especially the old sol-
diers.

The Memorial Day exercises will be
held on Wednesday afternoon, May
29th, at 2 o'clock, instead of May 30th
as in former years. The change was
made on account of the large number
of persons who wish to go elsewhere
on the 30th. All are invited.

The annual institute of the Second
District Sunday School Association
will be held in the Lutheran church
Friday afternoon and evening, May
31st. A good program has been ar-
ranged.

Aaron Musselman has had a Cor-
right metal shingle roof put on his
house. D. B. Rock contractor.

George M. Neely represented Valley
Home Lodge I. O. O. F., at the Grand
Lodge in Reading this week.

Mrs. Andrew Musselman, of Phila-
delphia, is visiting Miss Sue Kugler
and other friends in the neighborhood.

Miss Alma Kittinger was an over-
Sunday visitor with McKnightstown
friends.

Miss Clara Musselman spent several
days in York recently.

Adam Frey and wife are off on a
visit to Niagara Falls and Canada.

Guy B. King is home from the
Union Seminary of New York City
for the summer vacation.

W. C. Rogers has had a corrugated
roof put on his house, Gallagher and
Sanders doing the work.

PETRIFIED POTATO

Charles W. Troxell found a petrified
potato in the potato bin at the Gettys-
burg Department Store on Thursday.
It is a fine specimen.

ARE you tired paying rent? In
today's Times you will learn how to
buy a good three-story house on the
installment plan at low cash prices.
The opportunity of your life to own
your own home. Only ten of them.
Don't wait till all are gone.

ST. PAUL'S A. M. E. Zion church
will hold a lawn festival Saturday
evening, corner of High and Franklin
streets. Everybody welcome.

FORM NEW REAL ESTATE COMPANY

Gettysburg Gets a New Organization
having for its Purpose Encour-
aging Young People to Get their
Homes Quickly.

A number of Gettysburg citizens
have formed an organization to be
known as the Gettysburg Building
Company, the primary purpose of
which is to build homes in Gettysburg
and sell them on the installment
plan, thus giving industrious young
men of good habits an opportunity
to acquire homes at low prices and easy
payments, and avoid paying rent. A
temporary organization was effected
with Hon. D. P. McPherson as presi-
dent and Martin Winter as secretary.
The plan is to build houses in blocks
of ten and upward by which method of
building there is a saving as compared
with building each house singly.

The first block of ten will be eight
room houses with bath room additional.
They will be three-story brick struc-
tures, tin roofed, with nine foot wide
porches, and with the ground work in
for heating plant and conveniences,
which can be added at any time later
on. These houses will have each a
frontage of about 17 1/2 feet. John
H. Crowe will be the architect.

With \$500 as a selling price for
the house the plan is to sell for \$100
cash payment the remaining \$400 to be
secured by the house itself. This
\$100 will bear interest at 5 per cent or
\$7.00 per annum to which will be
added a payment on the principal
\$50.00 thus making the annual payment
\$120.00 or \$10.00 per month.

As the payment on the principal
will reduce the interest each year, the
plan is that as much as the interest is
reduced the payment on the principal
will be increased, thus keeping up a
uniform monthly payment of \$10.00
and reducing the time for the contin-
uance of the series, to about 17 years
with privilege to pay in full at any
time.

Another feature which may be ad-
ded is life insurance, by which with a
small additional cost, should the death
of the purchaser take place during the
continuance of the contract, the unpaid
portion of the debt would be paid and
a sum equal to the difference between
the debt and \$1500.00 will be paid in
cash to the wife or heirs of the deceased
purchaser.

The location of the first block of ten
houses has not yet been determined.

BRYSONIA

Brysonia, May 24—On Saturday
evening a large crowd gathered at M.
E. Knoose's store to hear Fred Taylor's
graphophone which played some very
fine selections.

Mrs. Rebecca Taylor, of Arendts-
ville, spent a few days with her grand-
daughter, Mrs. M. E. Knoose.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Beecher, of
York, Mrs. MacEicholtz and three
children, Robert, Helen and Elizabeth,
of near this place, spent Saturday eve-
ning at the home of George Hartman.

Ernest Hartman came home from
Philadelphia to attend his uncle
Charles Cashman's funeral.

Maurice Eicheloltz shot a fish hawk
on L. E. Myers' mill dam which
measured six feet from tip to tip of
wings.

Charles Thomas has purchased a fine
driving horse.

Harry Funt found one of his cows
lying dead in the woods. He thinks
she ate poison as he knows no other
cause.

Mrs. G. W. Hoke is slowly recover-
ing from an attack of rheumatism.

Mrs. Noah Beamer visited her
daughter, Mrs. William Hartman,
recently.

J. D. Crum assisted M. E. Knoose
in his store on Saturday evening.

Curtis Thomas, wife and three chil-
dren and Mrs. S. J. Taylor spent a
half day at the home of David Thomas
recently.

MAY CELEBRATION

The annual May celebration and ap-
propriate Memorial day services will
be held in St. Francis Xavier Church
next Sunday evening. The procession
will start from the church at 6:30 and
proceed to the Catholic cemetery where
prayers will be said and flowers and
flags placed over the graves of the
fourteen Grand Army men who are
buried there. To and from the cem-
etry hymns and patriotic songs will be
sung. Returning to the church the
solemn vesper service will be chanted
and a sermon preached by the Rev.
W. W. Whalen, of York, formerly of
this place. All are welcome. Cross
bearer, Ralph Redding; flag bearer,
Francis Aumen, assisted by other G.
A. R. men; banner bearer, Edward
Hudson.

NOTICE: we are now prepared to
make bonnets for the ladies of the
Church of the Brethren. Call and
give us your order. The Misses
Christman, 127 Baltimore street.

PERSONAL NOTES AND BRIEF ITEMS

Paragraphs of News Telling of the
Happenings in and about Town.
People Visiting here and those
Sojourning Elsewhere.

Allen Sangree, the well known au-
thor, spent the day with friends in
town.

Miss Blanche Cassatt and Miss
Kindig, are visiting at the home of
Jefferson Cassatt, route 12.

The W. C. T. U. will meet with
Mrs. Milton Remmel, East Middle
street, on Saturday afternoon at 2:30
o'clock.

M. K. Eckert spent Thursday night
with friends in York.

The Misses Krise left this morning
for a visit of several weeks in Balti-
more.

Mrs. Simons has returned to Wash-
ington after spending several days at
the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Hein-
del, on Carlisle street.

Charles H. Wilson came home on
Thursday evening after spending some
time in Baltimore and at Port Cov-
ington. He returned this morning.

Mrs. F. E. Cremer, Misses Helen
Young, Catharine Felty and Blanche
Kump, of Hanover, were guests of
Miss Anna Hollebaugh, on Thursday.

Prof. H. Milton Roth is attending
the conference of state educators and
representatives of the State Grange at
Harrisburg.

Mrs. J. A. Clutz attended the spring
recital of Dr. Thunder's pupils in
York Thursday evening. Miss Ruth
Clutz took part.

EAST BERLIN

East Berlin, May 24—While Master
Earl Kauffman, son of Postmaster
Kauffman, of East Berlin, was attend-
ing the festival in Abbottstown last
Saturday evening, some person or per-
sons completely ruined his good buggy
harness by cutting it with a knife.
The harness was so badly mutilated
that Mr. Kauffman was obliged to
borrow a set from C. E. Smith, har-
ness maker of that place, in order to
drive home.

Rev. and Mrs. D. H. Baker, of
Hanover, spent Wednesday at Mum-
mert's Meeting House, near East Ber-
lin, decorating and planting flowers
on the graves of dead relatives. Mr.
Baker also decorated the graves of his
comrades in the late Civil War—seven
in number, as has been his custom for
years past. Two served in the war of
1812. He also decorated the graves of
his co-laborers in the ministry.

William G. Leas, C. C. Spangler
and D. P. Wagner have purchased
automobiles.

Latimer Trostle, of this place,
made 2,500 brooms the past season.
He had no assistant and did all the
work himself by hand power.

The Sunday School convention of
this district will be held in East Ber-
lin on the afternoon and evening of
June 13.

Ray Marshall, aged 26 years an em-
ployee of the Canadian Pacific Rail-
road, was killed in the railroad yards
at Moose Jaw, 'Sask.' Canada, April
23d. While attempting to board a
car he fell and a baggage car, passing
over him, his skull was fractured and
his death was almost instantaneous.

He was a son of R. A. Marshall, a na-
tive of Paradise township, York
county, who taught school at Mt.
Carmel, Heidelberg township, about
20 years ago, and soon after moved to
Ill. He is a brother of Henry Mar-
shall, of Hanover.

HAMPTON

Hampton, May 24—Miss Gertrude
Kraher has been elected a teacher in
the Hanover schools at salary of \$50
a month.

Martin D. Wentz living on the Mil-
ler farm near town, has purchased the
W. W. Hafer farm in Lattimore town-
ship, containing 132 acres on private
terms.

Mrs. Allen Malaun and Mrs. Maria
Spangler visited friends at York over
Sunday.

Mrs. Kate Deatrick visited her
daughter, Mrs. Charles Staub at Hanover
the past two weeks.

David Fissel is working at his trade of
plastering at W. L. Glatfelter's resi-
dence, Spring Grove.

The following visited at Elias
Hartzel's Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Charles
Mummert and five children, of
Hanover, Mr. and Mrs. James Bosser-
man.

Hayden Deatrick left for Waynes-
boro where he will work at plastering.

WE have left a few Emerson
bug

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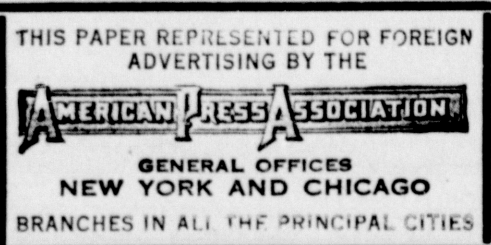
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Owing to a mistake in dates; the display of SUITINGS will not take place April 24th. SAMPLES BOOK at store now.

C. B. KITZMILLER.

Rhode Island Red Hatching Eggs For Sale

Price 50 cents for 15 eggs.

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Mayor of Philadelphia Greets Delegates in Three Languages—Topics to Be Discussed.

Philadelphia, May 24.—President Taft, on behalf of the nation, welcomed to this country the delegates from many countries to the twelfth International Congress of Navigation, which began here and will continue about a week.

"I know you will believe me when I say," the president declared, "that the building of that great canal across the narrowest part of the western continent is an evidence of the desire of the United States to do something for the welfare of the people of the world."

The president also touched upon universal peace, humorously remarking that it is at present suffering a temporary halt, but adding seriously that the hearts of the American people beat high for every step toward the peace of the world and for the time when battleships will not be built.

The congress was opened in the Metropolitan Opera House by Congressman J. Hampton Moore, president of the local organizing commission. Rudolph Blankenburg, mayor of Philadelphia, made a bit by welcoming them in speeches delivered in French, German and English. Attorney General John C. Bell, of Pennsylvania, welcomed the foreign visitors upon behalf of the people of Pennsylvania.

Brigadier General William H. Bixby, chief of engineers, U. S. A., delivered the address of welcome for the general organizing commission, and the response was made by Professor V. E. De Timinoff, acting president of the congress.

After the adjournment of the Metropolitan Opera House session President Taft held a reception and personally welcomed the foreign delegates.

Leaving the place of meeting the delegates and guests went to the Bellevue-Stratford, where a buffet luncheon was served.

The sections of the congress met at the Bellevue-Stratford. There are two sections, one devoted to ocean navigation and the other to inland navigation. Some of the subjects to be discussed at the sections are:

Safeguarding life and property at sea.

Suggestions for the German ocean safety meeting.

Harbor lighting and dredging.

Coast life saving stations.

Buoy locations and regulations.

Steamship signals and international flag code.

Lighthouses and lightships.

Salvage and lighterage.

Dock regulations and canal rulings.

International code of ocean laws.

Transatlantic routes.

Steamship mergers and pools.

Ship subsidies and government control of coastwise trade.

Wireless equipment for freighters and coastwise steamships.

Inland coastwise travel.

Canals.

The Panama canal and its bearings on the trade of the world.

Canal tariffs.

Dock charges and pilot regulations.

The delegates were escorted to the Philadelphia Commercial Museums to witness a special navigation exhibition, including models of the Panama canal, locks and dams, New York state barge canal and models showing the comprehensive plan for the improvement of the port of Philadelphia.

SCHWAB RESCUES MAN

Steel Magnate Saves Companion From Drowning.

South Bethlehem, Pa., May 24.—Charles M. Schwab starred in the role of a rescuer from drowning at Martin's Creek, where he and J. C. Kirchen, general manager of the Tonopah Mine Extension, had gone trout fishing.

Mr. Kirchen was the one rescued from a probable watery grave. As he was casting his line it caught in the branches of a tree. Up the tree Mr. Kirchen climbed to rescue the fly, and in doing so fell into deep water.

Mr. Schwab was nearby and hastened to his companion, aided him to the shore.

Archduke Ferdinand Reinstated.

Vienna, May 24.—The Archduke Ferdinand Charles, who renounced his rank and titles two years ago in order to marry the beautiful Bertha Czuber, the daughter of a professor in the Vienna university, and in order to do so assumed the name of Charles Burg, has been pardoned and reinstated to his rank. His wife will receive the title of countess.

Woman Starves to Death.

Allentown, Pa., May 24.—Literally starved to death, Mrs. Frank Johnson was found at her house in a secluded part of this city by Humane Society Agent Stuber. The other members of the family are the woman's husband and four children, one only three weeks old, who are in a serious condition because of the lack of food.

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COUNTESS OF SUFFOLK.

She Was Hurt in a Riding Accident Near London.



LADY SUFFOLK INJURED

Former Miss Leiter Narrowly Escapes Death in Fall From Horse.

London, May 24.—The Countess of Suffolk (nee Margaret Leiter) was hurt in a serious riding accident at the Suffolk seat, Charlton Park, Malmesbury.

With Lord Suffolk she was taking her customary morning ride when her horse bolted.

Lady Suffolk is the youngest of the daughters of the late Levi Z. Leiter, of Chicago and Washington. She married Lord Suffolk in 1904. Her eldest sister, Miss Mary Leiter, married Lord Curzon of Kedleston. Lady Curzon died in 1906.

DEMOCRATS OF VA. GO UNINSTRUCTED

The Unit Rule May Defeat Wilson Forces.

Norfolk, Va., May 24.—Although the lines were sharply drawn between individuals as to preferences for the Democratic presidential nomination, the Woodrow Wilson and Champ Clark factions predominating and repeatedly storming the meeting of the state Democratic convention here, the Virginia delegation of twenty-four members to the Baltimore convention will go uninstructed.

The action was a compromise on the part of the state Democratic machine. Although opposed to the nomination of Woodrow Wilson, leaders found the sentiment in the rank and file of the party so strong that it could not be altogether ignored. The compromise was in the nature of a resolution providing for the naming of eight delegates-at-large to the Baltimore convention, each with a half vote, the Wilson men being allowed four of the half votes.

The delegates-at-large are: Machine men—Senator Martin, Senator Swanson, Congressman Hal Flood and Governor W. H. Mann.

Woodrow Wilson men—Harry St. George Tucker, Richard E. Byrd, R. Tate Irvine and Alfred B. Williams.

The fact that these delegates-at-large will be bound by the unit rule probably means that if Wilson can be defeated for the nomination the votes will be against him. It is known that the machine leaders prefer Harmon, with Underwood second choice.

HARDWARE IN HER STOMACH

1079 Articles, Mostly Metal, Removed by Surgeons.

Sacramento, Cal., May 24.—An official report of an operation performed upon Miss Letitia Miller, of San Rafael, for the removal of 1079 articles, mostly metal, from her stomach, says she is on the road to recovery.

These articles were removed: 108 wire hairpins, 55 open safety pins, 21 broken pins, 5 pruned pins, 23 buttons, 3 collar buttons, 13 nails, 3 screw eyes, 40 tacks, one staple an inch in length, five parts of teaspoons, 425 broken pieces of hairpins, one piece of string, one piece of thread, 104 unidentified odds and ends, mostly metal, nine parts of combs and 280 small pins.

U. S. CONSUL KILLED BY FALL

Frank D. Hill Dies of Fractured Skull at Frankfurt.

Frankfurt, Germany, May 24.—Frank D. Hill, the consul general of the United States here, was found dead in the corridors of his office building.

It is believed that while starting downstairs he was seized with vertigo and toppled over the railing, falling three stories.

His skull was badly fractured and death was instantaneous.

Farmers Organize Chain of Stores.

Lexington, Ky., May 24.—The farmers throughout Kentucky have started plans to form a co-operative chain of stores for the purpose of cutting down as much as possible the high cost of living. At a meeting of the Farmers' Union Business Agents' association the stores owned and operated by farmers of each county were organized to run on a mutual profit and expense basis.

TREES

Trees in good dormant condition will be on sale at Gettysburg curb on the square on market days, consisting of apple, including Stayman, York Imperial and Smoke House. Peach including Elberta, Crawford Late, St. John, Stump and Fitzgerald, Cherry, Quince, Pear, Plum and Norway Maple Shade Trees at very reasonable prices.

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PRAIRIE TAKING MARINES TO CUBA

Sails From League Island With 780 Officers and Men.

THE ORDERS ARE SEALED

Two Other Vessels Carrying 1800 More Troops Will Sail in a Short Time.

Philadelphia, May 24.—Seven hundred and eighty officers and men of the United States Marine Corps sailed from the League Island navy yard on board the transport Prairie.

They are under sealed orders, but fully confident that they are bound for Guantanamo, Cuba, to aid in suppressing the uprising there.

The men were made up from the marine barracks in Philadelphia, New York, Washington and the naval academy at Annapolis, Md. The men were in command of Colonel Lincoln Karmann. The men are equipped for service in the field.

In addition to those who sailed 1800 more officers and men are quartered at League Island and will sail later, ostensibly for the same port. These additional men have been garnered from the various posts named and were rushed to Philadelphia on special trains to be ready to sail immediately.

The vessels which will carry them have not been decided upon, but it is believed they will go aboard two of the second-class battleships now lying at the navy yard, since there are no other transports in this vicinity other than the Prairie, which sailed.

The sailing of the Prairie was somewhat delayed because of the meat supply. When the rush orders came a requisition for approximately 22,000 pounds of fresh meat was sent to the local contractor. This supply was sent to the dock immediately, but on arrival the government inspectors declared it under weight and rejected almost the entire amount. The contract calls for steers of a standard weight of 600 pounds each, but because of the rush order he failed to fulfill this part of the contract.

Upon finding that the supply was below weight according to individual pieces, and that the supply must be rejected, the Marine Corps officers communicated with the officials at Washington and requested a delay in sailing. This request was refused, and the Prairie sailed with only a part of the necessary stores. The remainder will either be taken aboard at some other port or the amount lacking will be shipped aboard the other vessels.

Among the other stores carried by the Prairie were 400,000 rounds of small arms ammunition, two modern three-inch field pieces and six automatic machine guns with the necessary ammunition for these.

The men carried the lightweight khaki uniforms for tropical use, besides the usual field service outfit, including tentage, blankets, etc.

HANGMAN'S ROPE BROKE

Condemned Man, Unconscious After Fall, Executed in Lancaster, Pa.

Lancaster, Pa., May 24.—Antonio Romeo was executed here for the murder of Tony Serafino some months ago.

When the trap was sprung Romeo's body shot downward, but as it reached the bottom of the drop the rope broke just above the knot and the body crashed to the prison court yard.

The sheriff and his deputies hurried down and picked up the unconscious form of the murderer. Another knot was tied in the rope and it was readjusted and the trap sprung again. This time the hang held and the condemned man died slowly of strangulation.

Up to the time that he was ordered to walk to the gallows Romeo refused to credit the belief that he must die. He laughed and joked with the prison guards and insisted that the entire plan of trial and sentence was a huge joke designed to scare him and make him confess a crime about which he knew nothing.

Not until he stood squarely on the scaffold and the rope was being adjusted over the black cap did he realize that he was to die. And as a last despairing protestation of innocence he ran out the trap was sprung. The motive of the crime was robbery.

American Dead in Nicaragua

Washington, May 24.—The state department was notified of the death near Corinto, Nicaragua, of William Sheridan, an American citizen, on May 19, while on his way to the United States. Sheridan, it is said, leaves a valuable estate and is without relatives in Nicaragua. Notification of his death has been sent to Mary Sheridan, a sister, at Lewiston, Me., and two brothers, Hugh and Thomas Sheridan, at Philadelphia.

Mrs. Grace Out on Bail.

Atlanta, Ga., May 24.—Mrs. Daisy Elizabeth Grace, under charge of attempting to murder her husband, Eugene H. Grace, and who for the last six weeks has been in jail, entered bond and was released. The \$5000 bond was signed by Chester Lagamarsino, a cigar and soda water dealer, who is unacquainted with Mrs. Grace, but who was prompted to go her bail through sympathy for her.

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THOUGHT END AT HAND

DEPUTY CORONER RECORDS THE SCARE OF HIS LIFE.

Gleaming Eyes Through the Darkness Caused Fear of Things Both Earthly and Unearthly, but in the End He Laughed.

"It was my second day at the morgue," said Albert Meyers, deputy coroner, "and I was still new in the work of taking care of the dead. I had to stay at the morgue during the night, as one of my fellow workers was on a vacation."

"At about ten o'clock I retired. My room was upstairs. During the day we had brought two suicides, one 'floater,' and two accident victims to the morgue, and, as is natural with a man who is not used to the work, I had a peculiar feeling all day, as I had never seen so many bodies at one time."

"Well, they are all locked in the ice box and there's no reason to be 'shaky,' I thought to myself, and soon fell asleep."

"It was just midnight when I was suddenly awakened by something heavy fall upon my legs, and remain there."

"While I slowly arose in my bed to see what it was I heard the city hall bell announcing midnight. There—at the end of my bed were two fiery, sparkling eyes which stared straight at me."

"I was horror stricken. I had never believed in the stories of the superstitious, who say that at midnight the ghosts walk. Nor had I ever believed for a moment that the dead select that hour to hold their nightly conventions."

"But I was at the morgue. I knew there were five bodies down in the ice box. Unwittingly came to me the idea that one of them might have been still alive; the fear that I might have forgotten to lock the ice box added to my fright."

"Is it not possible, I thought, that if such an unfortunate person, suddenly awakened to the fact that he was to be buried alive, gathering together all his strength, might have broken out of the ice box, found the door unlocked, and, intuitively following the breath of human life, come up here, to take revenge?"

"While these terrible thoughts flashed through my excited mind, the two eyes with that fierce greenish fire in them, still stared at me. I tried to yell, but could not utter a sound. I endeavored to move; it seemed as though I was paralyzed."

"Suddenly, when I was nearly insane through fear, the mysterious thing with the piercing eyes jumped up, turned around, landed on the floor, and started a furious chase around the room."

"Within another moment I was out of my bed, and not two minutes had elapsed when I held in my hand, furiously shaking him—Tom, the morgue cat!"

"Cold sweat stood on my forehead, but I had to laugh."

"I have not found out yet whether the appearance in my room of the cat at midnight was a well planned joke on the part of my fellow-workers, or simply a peculiar coincidence."—Milwaukee Free Press.

Evolution of the Organ.

As such, the organ was never really invented, but has been a gradual evolution from the first single hollow reed pipe or whistle sounded by the breath of man. This was the origin of the Pan Pipes, according to the pretty legend of the infatuation of that god for the nymph Syrinx. The organ of today, according to C. Norman Kemp, delivering the Keith lecture in Edinburgh, is the largest and most complicated musical instrument, and the same might have been said in the second century B. C. of the hydraulic organ of the Romans, which probably owed to these qualities its high place in popular and royal favor. Pneumatic organs gradually came into use in the early centuries of our era, during which period they were used exclusively in places of amusement, while it is recorded that the organ was used in public worship in Spain about the middle of the fifth century, and in English churches during the seventh century. At this period keys in the modern sense of the term were evidently unknown, the control of the pipes being only by means of perforated sliders, still, however, in use, though for a different purpose.

Paris Lacks Room.

The housing problem is dominating all others in Paris at the present time. There exist in Paris 30,000 families of six persons, 5,000 of ten, and 1,800 of 15. Of the former 1,097, of the second 142 and of the last 23 live in one room. The average mortality from consumption for the whole of France is 1.79 per thousand, but in certain parts of the St. Merri quarter of Paris it is 9.84, while the general mortality is 42 per thousand. From 1903 to 1911 1,410 families, making a total of 6,828 children, had a death roll of 3,429—nearly half.

There are numerous cases of families of eight persons living in one room, which is only lighted when the door is left open. A representative of the Matin has made a tour of the overcrowded areas of the city. It is a sordid and repulsive tale he tells. People are sleeping in cellars. In some of the rooms there are no panes in the windows, the openings being stuffed with rags. For a single room \$60 a year is charged in some districts.

BOWS MORE FANCIFUL

GENERAL ELABORATION A MARK OF ADVANCING SEASON.

Ribbon Decorations Are Very Generally Taking the Place of Other Trimmings on Hats—Vivid Colorings and Designs.

Nearly all the new bows are quite unlike the simpler forms of ribbon trimmings which we have had in the past. There is a liking for fanciful forms, and ribbons are made up into ornamental pieces ready for mounting on hat shapes just as feathers and flowers are. They are more generally used than ever, and that is saying much, but designers having taken up the idea of making new and strange ribbon decorations, have found them widely useful, taking the place of other trimmings on many hats.

Ribbons also are elaborated in themselves; changeable and two-toned colorings, pin-stripes, wide stripes and checks, and many bordered designs are shown. Then there are the flowered ribbons and those that are flowered and bordered. Sometimes a piece will combine a number of these



features, being at the same time changeable in color, having both a flowered and striped ground and edged with a border. It goes without saying almost that such elaboration in the ribbon precludes the use of any other trimming with it.

Rosettes and cockades (that is stiff up-standing designs) lead in popular favor for trimmings, and the two are often combined in one piece. Buckram is used as a foundation in making these new decorations, and fine wire supports loops that must stand up. A disk of buckram three inches in diameter is about the average size used for rosettes. Ribbon is laid in side plaits and sewed in rows to this foundation until it is covered. Fans and wings of buckram are covered with ribbon laid on flat at one side and in side plaits to the other. Larger disks five inches in diameter are slashed in four places about their circumference, to the depth of three inches. By overlapping the slashed edges and sewing them together a form is made with a raised center. It looks like the top of a large "toddler." Narrow ribbon is gathered into full ruffles and sewed to such foundations. The finished rosettes look like high full blown roses.

A large ring of buckram, five inches across, has a circle two inches or a little more, in diameter cut from the center. A wide ribbon with a border is laid in side plaits and sewed to the buckram ring. Four loops supported by ribbon wire, which is caught to the under side by stitches, are thrust through the opening at the center and ends of ribbon falling from the back of this ornament are to be used to drape about the crown of a hat.

Three shades of the same color (as brown or blue) are used in a pretty standing ornament and similar ornaments are made of two shades, light and dark. Stiff taffeta ribbon is used for this ornament and does not need to be wired. The ribbon is cut into nine-inch lengths and one end of each length is trimmed into a sharp point. The straight end is laid in plaits and sewed to an oblong foundation of buckram. This buckram piece should be two inches wide and four long. The lightest ends are sewed at first, then just below them the next darker shade, and finally the darkest shade. The bottom of the buckram is covered with pieces of the two darker shades shirred in fine tucks very close together. This finishes the decorations.

These handsome ribbon ornaments make a sufficient trimming for street hats. Since shapes may be bought ready faced they may be effectively trimmed with ribbon ornaments at home.

Bread as a Cleanser.

Soldiers use a crust of bread often to clean the white stripes of their trousers. This is an excellent idea when applied to light felt hats, gloves, or even a woolen gown.

Brilliant Colors in Hats.

This is a season of most brilliant colors in millinery; cerise, king's blue combined with green and a touch of pink, the tan shades, sage green, gray and pink ostrich plumes, and smart combinations of black and white, all are used with a lavish hand. One of the smart new touches is to match the taffeta dress with a hat faced with the same material, trimming the top of the hat with a contrasting color. Contrasting facings are the rule, but there are exceptions.—Harper's Bazar.

HOW TO ARRANGE GOOD MENU

Recorded Study of Food Elements is Best Way for Housewife to Avoid Errors.

Every housekeeper should be perfectly familiar with the three food products. This is the foundation of menu-making. Proteids, carbohydrates and fats are the three divisions into which all foods are classed. Proteids are the muscle-builders and are found in meat, beans, peas, eggs and nuts. Carbohydrates are the starches and are found in cereals, sugar and starchy foods. These foods produce fat and energy. Fats, such as oils, butter, lard, etc., give heat to the body. A general knowledge of these food properties as they are found in various foods underlies successful cooking as well as menu-making.

A good menu is a well-balanced menu in regard to these three food principles. A practical study of these foods is the best way to avoid errors in diet.

Do not serve several foods of the same composition at the same meal, such as potatoes, rice and macaroni.

Do not serve bean or pea soup with roast meat, salmon salad and custard. Try to vary the regular diet. If a heavy meal is served use a light, easily digested dessert.

Do not eat too much food out of season. It is expensive. If meat is left out of the dinner menu, plan to serve soup made of peas, nuts or beans and a dessert made of eggs.

To avoid serving several foods of the same composition have in mind small groups of foods alike in composition. The first and most important group to consider is that of proteid food: Group one—meats, cheese, eggs, nuts, dried peas, beans.

Any of these foods can be used for meat, or if nuts, beans or peas are used for a puree, meat can safely be left out of the menu.

For every meal select food from each of the groups mentioned—proteid, carbohydrates, fats.

Add to this some fresh fruit or vegetable three times daily and a good beginning will be made toward producing a balanced menu—Woman's World.

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For instance, if shot taffeta in rose and gold is employed for the sash, the large buckle should be of cloth of gold embroidered with rhinestone beads, the straight end embroidered with gold tinsel and rhinestone bead strands. On a white lingerie house frock an embroidered black velvet sash is particularly stunning, but on account of the bulk of even the chiffon velvets, the portion encircling the waist should not be doubled and the depending end would best be silk-lined. Chiffon or Brussels net, if heavily bordered and embroidered in pearl, crystal or silver beads, makes a lovely girdle for a young girl's dancing frock and in that event the portion going around the waist should be mounted upon satin decorated to match the sash end, while the buckle should match the color scheme of the fringe.

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For instance, if shot taffeta in rose and gold is employed for the sash, the large buckle should be of cloth of gold embroidered with rhinestone beads, the straight end embroidered with gold tinsel and rhinestone bead strands. On a white lingerie house frock an embroidered black velvet sash is particularly stunning, but on account of the bulk of even the chiffon velvets, the portion encircling the waist should not be doubled and the depending end would best be silk-lined. Chiffon or Brussels net, if heavily bordered and embroidered in pearl, crystal or silver beads, makes a lovely girdle for a young girl's dancing frock and in that event the portion going around the waist should be mounted upon satin decorated to match the sash end, while the buckle should match the color scheme of the fringe.

For every meal select food from each of the groups mentioned—proteid, carbohydrates, fats.

Add to this some fresh fruit or vegetable three times daily and a good beginning will be made toward producing a balanced menu—Woman's World.

Any of these foods can be used for meat, or if nuts, beans or peas are used for a puree, meat can safely be left out of the menu.

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BASE BALL SCORES.

Following is the Result of Games Played Yesterday.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.
At Boston.—Boston, 6; Cleveland, 5.
Batteries—Clegg, Wood; Nunnemaker, George, Adams, Eastery.
At Philadelphia.—Athletics, 9; St. Louis, 3.
Batteries—Bender, Thomas; Lake, C. Brown, Stepien, Ketter.
At Washington.—Washington, 5; Detroit, 2.
Batteries—Hughes, Henry, Ainsmith; Burns, Debus, Stange.
At New York.—New York, 10; New York, 4.
Batteries—Penz, Peters, Sullivan; Hoff, Vaughan, McConnell, Sweeney.
Standing of the Clubs.
W. L. PC.
Chicago, 25 8 758 Detroit, 15 17 489
Boston, 29 10 677 Cleveland, 13 15 462
Washin. 16 14 533 N. York, 8 19 296
Athletics 13 14 451 St. Louis, 8 21 276

NATIONAL LEAGUE.
At Pittsburgh.—Pittsburgh, 3; Boston, 1.
Batteries—Adams, Kelly; Brown, Klink.
At St. Louis.—St. Louis, 11; Cincinnati, 10.
Batteries—Steele, Wood; Smith, Sallee, Wagner, Gasper, Smith, Humphries, McLean.
Other clubs not scheduled.

Standing of the Clubs.
W. L. PC.
N. York, 22 6 785 Philadelphia, 11 15 423
Cincinnati, 22 10 658 St. Louis, 14 20 412
Chicago, 15 14 517 Boston, 11 20 325
Pittsburg, 13 14 481 Brooklyn, 9 18 333

TRI-STATE LEAGUE.
At Harrisburg.—Harrisburg, 2; Trenton, 1.
Batteries—O'Connor, Miller; Lloyd, Myers.
At York.—York, 14; Wilmington, 5.
Batteries—McCreary, Flinn; Pounds, Kerr.
At Johnstown.—Allentown, 5; Johnstown, 4.
Batteries—Rasmussen, Monroe; Hitebeck, Raub.
At Altoona.—Lancaster, 5; Altoona, 2.
Batteries—Schetter, Chabek; Hemmer, Weisner, Broeze.

Standing of the Clubs.
W. L. PC.
Harrisburg, 12 6 667 Allentown, 8 9 471
Lancaster, 19 6 625 York, 7 10 412
Trenton, 11 7 611 Altoona, 7 11 422
Johnstown, 9 8 529 Wilmington, 5 12 294

WOOL BILL IS REPORTED ADVERSELY

Republicans Will Draft Tariff Revision Measure.

Washington, May 24.—Senator Smoot, authorized by a majority of the senate committee on finance, made an adverse report on the house wool tariff revision bill.

The adverse report was ordered by the committee by a vote of 8 to 6. In presenting the report, Mr. Smoot stated that the majority expected to report a substitute.

Senator Heyburn protested that, as the majority had taken no action, no member of it had a right to make such a promise, which was calculated, he said, to create the impression that the Republican party was about to enter upon a revision of the tariff.

Senators Lodge and Penrose sustained Mr. Smoot in his statement. Mr. Penrose added that the Republican members of the committee would present a bill based on the report of the tariff board.

"Whether such a bill will pass in view of present conditions is another question," he said, "but the Republicans will feel that they have done their duty when they report a proper bill."

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TITANIC REPORT TO CENSURE MANY

It Will be Submitted to the Senate Today.

PRASE FOR CAPTAIN ROSTRON

Probers Will Probably Censure Captain Smith and Crew of Destroyed Liner.

Washington, May 24.—The report of the senate committee on commerce on the investigation of the Titanic disaster, embodying a severe condemnation of the conditions under which the giant vessel was allowed to steam to her fate among the icebergs off the Newfoundland Banks, and recommending remedial legislation, will be presented to the senate today.

The committee discussed the conclusions submitted by the sub-committee, which took the testimony in the case, and unanimously adopted its report.

The report will in all probability criticize the Titanic commander and crew for the way in which the vessel was handled just preceding the collision with the iceberg and the lack of discipline displayed afterwards; the way in which the White Star line officials handled the news and the lack of lifeboats and other equipment.

The Carpathia's commander, Captain Roston, who went to the rescue of the Titanic, will be warmly praised. It is believed. The report will be followed by the introduction of measures by Senator William Alden Smith, chairman of the sub-committee, to carry out the conclusions of the committee.

Among the reforms contemplated are an inhibition against the firing of rocket signals at sea except in case of distress; the equipment of all ocean craft of a certain amount of passenger-carrying capacity with ample lifeboats and other equipment; the furnishing of searchlights to ocean vessels; the compulsory use of binoculars by lookouts; the constant maintenance of wireless telegraph communication on all passenger vessels crossing the ocean, and other steps that may be effective in the way of reform, either through legislation by congress or by international agreement regarding ocean travel.

It is possible that a resolution of thanks will be introduced in recognition of the splendid work of Captain Roston in rescuing so many Americans.

As the result of lessons drawn from the Titanic disaster, Secretary Nagel has undertaken to strengthen the life-saving features of American navigation regulations, as far as this can be accomplished by administrative acts.

The regulation governing lifeboat equipment on transoceanic vessels of American register have been changed from a tonnage to a passenger basis, so that every person aboard—passenger and crew—would be provided with lifeboat space in case of emergency.

The rules controlling coastwise craft, while still based on tonnage, have been amended so that the lifeboat capacity will be increased 50 per cent.

Shot Friend Dead With "Safe" Pistol. Newark, N. J., May 24.—The loaded revolver in the possession of an experienced person had the usual ending, when William Miller was killed by Thomas Hall, Jr. Hall was tending bar in his father's own saloon, at Bank and Newark streets. The revolver was kept on the back bar. Miller, Hall's friend, saw this, and Hall began to "show him how he could pull the trigger and still not shoot."

Millionaire Kills Ranchman. Quanah, Tex., May 24.—Burke Burnett, owner of the famous "Four Six" ranch and a millionaire, shot and killed Farley Sayers, a King county ranchman, at Paducah, Tex.

Bank Robbers Get \$15,000. Guthrie, Okla., May 24.—Advices received from Carney, Okla., say robbers entered the Bank of Carney and escaped with booty amounting to about \$15,000, secured by blasting the safe.

Senator Guilty of Bribery. Columbus, O., May 24.—After being out forty-seven and a half hours, the jury in the case of Senator Isaac E. Huffman, of Oxford, charged with bribery, returned a verdict of guilty.

General Booth Operated On. London, May 24.—General William Booth, head and founder of the Salvation Army, has been successfully operated on for cataract of the left eye in an effort to restore his sight.

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New Oats......55

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Per 100
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Schnaker Stock Feed.....1.65
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Coarse Spring Bran.....1.55
Cotton Seed Meal.....1.80
Corn and Oats Chop.....1.90
White Middlings.....1.70
Red Middlings.....1.60
Timothy Hay.....1.25
Rye Chop.....1.75
Baled Straw.....\$7.00 per ton.
Plaster.....\$1.15 per bbl.

Britz of Headquarters

By **Marvin Barber**

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SYNOPSIS.

CHAPTER I—The story opens with a scene from Dorothy Carson, a charming debutante in the opera box of the Metropolitan Opera House in New York City. It is occasioned by Mrs. Missioner's diamond necklace breaking and scattering the string of rare and costly gems all over the floor. Curtis Griswold and Bruton Sands, two society men, both of whom love Mrs. Missioner, gather up some of the diamonds, but the gem of the collection, the celebrated Maharane, is missing. Griswold steps on the apparent missing diamond and it crushes under his heel. A Hindoo comes from an adjoining box, and picking up a fake of the crushed gem pronounces it a fraud, not the genuine Maharane, but—paste.

CHAPTER II—The entire party proceed to the elegant mansion of Mrs. Missioner where she takes them to a room having a safe containing other diamonds. She afterwards sends for a Mr. Rascome, an expert who pronounces the stones all copies, substitutions, of the original gems.

CHAPTER III—Bruton Sands telephones police headquarters and two detectives, Donnelly and Carson, arrive on the scene. They examine the safe and decide that the theft of the original diamonds was accomplished by some one in the house. The servants are questioned, but without result. Then they learn that Miss Elinor Holcomb, the confidential companion of Mrs. Missioner, has a duplicate key to the safe and they send for her.

CHAPTER IV—The detectives incline to the belief that Miss Holcomb is involved in the robbery. They search her room and in a cabinet, wrapped in tissue paper, they find one of the original diamonds. Mrs. Missioner protests that Elinor is guiltless, but the delicate girl is marched off to prison.

CHAPTER V—Meantime, in an up-town mansion, the Hindoo of the theater episode who is known as the Swami, and a Hindoo priest, Kawanda, discuss the arrest. They are in the United States to recover the Maharane, which is a sacred relic of India, and are puzzled at the discovery of the imitation.

CHAPTER VI—Detective Britz, an expert of the police force, now takes up the case. He interviews Elinor who is prosecuted by the cloud resting on her. The detective evidently believes the girl innocent.

CHAPTER VII—Dr. Lawrence Fitch, the name of Elinor, visits her in prison. She is remanded for trial on suspicion of being the thief. Britz talks encouragingly to Fitch and asks his co-operation in running down the real criminal.

CHAPTER VIII—The detective advises that Elinor does not seek bail until they have located the real culprit. He makes a close investigation of affairs at the home of Mrs. Missioner.

CHAPTER IX.

Word From Logan.

A week of agonized suspense in the Tombs seemed drawn into an eternity of suffering to Miss Holcomb. Conscious of her own innocence, she had, nevertheless, ceased to struggle against the relentless fate that marked her as its victim. Her sensitive nature recoiled from contact with the miserable creatures into whose midst she was suddenly thrust. No longer could she find solace in tears, for the long drain had exhausted the supply. The gloom of her surroundings penetrated the innermost sanctuary of her soul.

Doctor Fitch was in the reception room.

A groan, as of physical pain, came from Fitch as he beheld Miss Holcomb in the low light that filtered through



No Longer Could She Find Solace in Tears.

the window. Her distress reacted on his sensibilities; he could utter no word of encouragement.

"It is awful," he moaned, as he led her into a corner of the room.

"And they all believe me guilty?" she asked despairingly.

"Not all," he returned, "there is one whose faith is unshaken. I talked with the lawyer to-day. He says they haven't sufficient evidence to convict, and that while the case looks ugly, there is nothing to fear. He is in favor of a speedy trial."

"Then even if I am set free my name will remain smirched," she declared.

"Your name will be cleared of all suspicion."

"It is so good to have you near me," she said. "I feel as if no harm could come to me."

They became vaguely conscious of a man's form outlined in the murky light of the room. As the figure gradually shaped itself to Fitch's eyes, his hand slipped from her waist and he rose to his feet.

"Lieutenant Britz," he exclaimed.

The detective came out of the obscurity of the opposite wall, and, doffing his hat, respectfully addressed them:

"It is unusual, I know, for a police officer to ask information of a prisoner held for the Grand Jury. Before Miss Holcomb replies to the questions I am about to ask, I think it might be well for her to seek the advice of counsel."

"Miss Holcomb will answer any questions you may ask," Fitch replied. "She has nothing to hide."

"The impenetrable face of the detective gave no insight to his thoughts. He drew a chair close to the expectant couple, shifting his gaze from Fitch to the face of the young woman. Though he gave no sign of it, he read the acute suffering she felt.

"Miss Holcomb," he began, "when were you last in Europe with Mrs. Missioner?"

"A little less than a year and a half ago," came the quick response.

"Was that before or after the East Indian servant entered the employ of Mrs. Missioner?"

"He was engaged after we came back."

"Did you meet Mr. Sands or Mr. Griswold abroad?"

"We met both of them in London and Paris."

"Did Mrs. Missioner have the collar with her? I mean the one with the Maharane diamond?"

"She did."

The detective settled back in his chair, his chin in his hands, as if lost in deep thought. The strange pallor of his face, shaded by the waning light, gave him the appearance of a dark clay image. Miss Holcomb looked inquiringly at him, seeking some explanation of his puzzling questions.

"The case is more baffling than ever," he said in response to her questioning look. "When I began my investigation, I was firmly convinced of your innocence."

"And now?" interrupted Dr. Fitch.

"I am seeking the light."

"Do you wish to ask Miss Holcomb any further questions?" Fitch asked.

"She is only too anxious to enlighten you."

The detective's eyes narrowed on the young woman.

"There is some information that I want, Miss Holcomb; I believe you can supply it." After brief reflection, he asked: "Mr. Sands and Mr. Griswold are frequent visitors at the house of Mrs. Missioner?"

"Both call very frequently," Miss Holcomb replied.

"And their visits are inspired by a feeling that is stronger than friendship?"

Miss Holcomb looked at Fitch as if in doubt what to say.

"Be perfectly frank," he advised.

"I believe both have proposed marriage to her," she informed him.

"And Mrs. Missioner—she prefers which one?"

"I don't know," came the prompt response.

"You mean she has never indicated her preference to you? Come now, surely in a burst of confidence she dropped some hint as to her inclinations?"

It was plain to Britz that Miss Holcomb revolved against violating the intimate confidences of her employer. To reveal the secrets that had come to her through association with the woman who seemingly had turned her back on her now was so inconsistent with Miss Holcomb's entire character that Britz recognized the necessity of urging his question.

"I am not asking this out of any motive of idle curiosity," he said. "It is of vital importance I should be informed of Mrs. Missioner's relations with Mr. Sands and Mr. Griswold, as well as of the opportunity each had for obtaining the diamonds."

"I am sure neither of them would or could have taken them," Miss Holcomb said.

"That may be perfectly true," replied Britz. "I do not say either of them took the diamonds, but I must follow every line of inquiry that reveals itself to me. Now, isn't it a fact, Miss Holcomb, that Griswold was the preferred suitor?"

"I do not think so," she said in a low voice.

"You mean she preferred Sands?"

"Yes."

"Miss Holcomb, do you know the history of the Maharane diamond?" he suddenly fired.

A quick spark of memory kindled her mind, and with the first flash, she understood the import of his question.

"Mrs. Missioner told me the history of the stone," she said. "I believe there was some scandal connected with its purchase in India. She told me that when her husband obtained it, there was some talk of it having been stolen from a temple and that the provincial native government tried to regain possession of it. Mr. Missioner succeeded, however, in retaining it as part of his collection."

"What opportunity did the Indian servant have of obtaining the necklace?"

"None at all," she answered hopelessly, "unless he broke into the safe, and I believe that was not done."

"Mrs. Missioner informed me that on one occasion, when the necklace was lying on the table, the servant entered the room with a box. You were in the room at the time. Was he close enough to the table to touch the necklace?"

"I remember the incident very well," she replied. "I took the box from him at the door and he turned around and went downstairs. I do not believe he was within ten feet of the table at any time."

"I don't know what to think," Britz said, after some reflection. "Almost as soon as a new clue bolts up, it falls down and I have to begin all over again. I have no more questions to ask today."

Fitch accompanied the detective out of the prison, begging vainly for some word of encouragement. Britz answered his questions with monosyllables, as if he feared to commit himself with regard to the outcome of his investigation. Just before parting, however, Britz said:

"Every line that develops in this case, you can rest assured, will be followed to the end. So far, nothing has been discovered that changes the aspect of the case in the slightest degree."

The detective walked to Headquarters and entered the office of the Chief.

"Has Donnelly or Carson reported anything new?" he inquired.

"Nothing," answered the Chief.

"And you?"

"Nothing that throws any light on the case."

"Britz," the Chief remarked, as

though delivering some weighty conclusion, "I think you're working on the wrong hypothesis. You seem to have decided that Miss Holcomb is innocent. If you will survey the case as it stands, you will have to acknowledge that absolutely everything in it points to her guilt. I do not undertake to say what her motive was in stealing the jewels, unless it was simply the feminine lust for ornaments. I feel certain, also, that she was not alone in the crime. My belief is that she took the necklace out of the safe, then returned the false jewels to the safe."

"But where were the paste gems made?" inquired Britz.

"That's for you to find out," snapped the Chief.

"I have personally visited every manufacturer of paste gems in this city and in Philadelphia, Boston, Buffalo, and Washington. My men have been to all the places in the smaller cities. Manufacturers in all the other cities of the country have been visited by the local police, and I feel absolutely sure that the duplicates were not made in this country. Logan is on the way to Paris now, and until we hear from him I don't think we are safe in venturing any opinion as to the identity of the thief. I am receiving daily reports of the movements of Sands, Griswold, the butler, and the Indian servant, but they show nothing."

"Why do you think Logan will discover anything? Has the real necklace ever been abroad?"

"Mrs. Missioner had it with her on the other side, but I don't know that it ever left her possession."

The Chief's lips curled into an amused smile.

"Kind of looks as if you're on the wrong scent," he baited.

"Wait till we hear from Paris," Britz returned.

As the detective left the office, he could not help a feeling of depression at the slow progress of events. As yet, the intricacies of the mystery were vaguely outlined in his mind. He saw them as a floating mist, heavy with possibilities but charged with delusive signs of beckoning trails that he instinctively knew led to nowhere. He was still treading lightly the mazes of the case. One false step might be fatal, and he preferred to remain in a crouching attitude of watchfulness, ready to spring from cover at the proper moment.

Much as he deplored his enforced inactivity, he nevertheless had faith in the final outcome. A quick mental survey of the case convinced him that the first necessity was to find the maker of the paste stones. Whoever made the duplicate Maharane would surely recall having done so. There were few European firms that could have made the stone. It was doubtful whether any American manufacturer could have turned out a substitute to fool the eyes of Mrs. Missioner, even for a night. It is hard enough to get the compact brilliance of the diamond in a small paste gem; infinitely more difficult is it to manufacture a counterfeit Maharane. Britz knew that whoever copied the cut and luster of that marvelous stone was an expert of high caliber. No faint shimmer of glass could have availed to deceive Mrs. Missioner. The laboratory fire that gleamed from the duplicate was the work of years of experiment, and only in Paris, Britz believed, was the art of manufacturing paste gems sufficiently developed to bring forth a satisfactory duplicate of the Maharane.

Three weeks, at least, must elapse before word would come from Logan. The emissary sent abroad was himself a diamond expert. Before entering the Detective Bureau, he had been a foreign agent of the United States Treasury Department. If the duplicate necklace was manufactured abroad, Logan would find the manufacturer without delay. Britz had faith in his man, and he waited impatiently through three weeks of torment for the first cablegram. It came finally, and he opened it with nervous fingers.

"Missioner necklace manufactured from drawings by three firms. Original never in possession of manufacturers."

Britz let the telegram flutter to the floor.

"I knew it!" he burst forth. "They wouldn't have dared to take the original out of the safe without immediately replacing it with the duplicate."

He picked up the message and burst into the Chief's room.

"Read it!" he exclaimed.

The Chief's eyes drank in the words, but his brain failed to grasp their underlying meaning.

"I don't see that this proves anything," he remarked.

"It proves everything," volleyed Britz. "It proves that the thief was a clever draughtsman. It proves that he spent weeks sketching the necklace, stone by stone, and it proves, too, that he went to Paris to have the duplicate made."

"It proves all that," agreed the Chief. "But who had the opportunity to see the necklace a sufficient number of times and long enough to make the sketches? Who but Miss Holcomb?"

"I will find someone who had almost as good an opportunity," Britz returned confidently.

"And if you do, what will it mean?" asked the Chief.

"It will mean something to work on," the detective said.

The next twenty-four hours Britz spent in the quiet of his home, his mind focused on the problem before him, trying to map out his line of procedure. Plan after plan he discarded as worthless. He could have struck out blindly in the hope of stumbling on a trail, but that was not Britz's method. Crime mysteries were to him scientific problems to be solved by scientific means. Step by step he went over the ground already covered, and then swept the outlook with the keen searchlight of his mind.

By a process of elimination he tried to sift the real thief from the group of suspects on whom his mental efforts were concentrated. He was unable to drag forth the culprit. Then he

sought to discern the motive for the crime in the action of each possible criminal, but he could come to no satisfactory conclusion.

"More information, more information is needed before the real work can begin!" he murmured.

In his preoccupation he did not observe the door open and the servant show in a subordinate from Headquarters. Not until the visitor spoke did he become aware of his presence.

"Two cablegrams for you, sir," the subordinate said.

The first cablegram aroused no emotions in the detective.

"Have obtained original drawings. Will sail to-morrow with them," the message from Logan read.

He opened the second envelope and read the contents half a dozen times, as if to stamp them indelibly on his mind.

"Drawings for duplicates taken to manufacturer by young woman. Gave name of Elinor Holcomb."

Britz dismissed the visitor, left the house, and hastened to the office of Dr. Fitch. Taking the important cablegram from his pocket, he handed



"More information, more information is needed."

fit to the physician. The doctor's eyes lingered on each word. His face paled, his eyes bulged forward, a violent tremor ran up and down his frame.

"This is awful!" he groaned.

"It's great news for you and Miss Holcomb," the detective smiled.

Fitch eyed him in perplexity. The detective met his inquiring gaze steadily, and, slowly folding the cablegram, he said:

"It proves beyond question she had no part in the crime."

"How?" Fitch demanded eagerly.

"If Miss Holcomb had been clever enough to plan the theft, she'd have known better than to go about Paris ordering the duplicates. Also, if she had taken the diamonds, she'd never have permitted one of them to remain in her room in Mrs. Missioner's house. No, whoever stole those gems deliberately tried to throw suspicion on her."

"But who could have conceived such a dastardly crime?" Fitch blurted, a wave of anger sweeping his frame.

"Whoever it was," Britz returned, "either was actuated by enmity toward the young woman, or knew enough about the Missioner household to realize that suspicion would naturally fall on her, and therefore he decided to use her as a cloak to hide his own identity. However, I now have something to work on, something that will produce quick results. Dr. Fitch, you may tell Miss Holcomb that in my calculations she is entirely eliminated from participation in the crime. You may inform her also that the hunt for the thief has begun."

Before the physician recovered from the pleasant shock of the detective's words, Britz was hurrying down the steps.

(To Be Continued.)

SACRIFICE sale of millinery. All summer goods, flowers, hats, etc. Osprey aigrette were \$2.50 at \$1.00 and \$1.25 white and black. Everything accordingly low priced. Must dispose of goods as I move my store the 31st of May. Mrs. Kiele, 15 Chambersburg street, second floor.

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CHURCH NOTICES

METHODIST

Sunday School at 9.30 in the morning; Epworth League at 6.30 p. m. with a public missionary service; preaching at 7.30. A cordial invitation to all services. L. Dow Ott, pastor.

ROCK CHAPEL ETC.

Rev. A. O. Stone, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church at New Cumberland, will represent the Anti-Saloon League at Rock Chapel on Saturday evening; Wensville, 10a. m. Sun. Bendersville in the evening. Twenty were received into full membership at York Springs on Sunday evening. Others will be received in the near future. A. C. Logan, pastor.

ARENDSVILLE REFORMED

Church service on Sunday morning at 10 o'clock, subject of the sermon, "Memorial Day—of what a Memorial?" Missionary service in the evening at 7.30.

BIGLERVILLE REFORMED

Rev. Theodore Hesson will preach a Memorial Day sermon at 7.30 o'clock in the evening. Everybody welcome.

REFORMED

Sunday School 9.15 a. m.; church service 10.20 a. m. No evening service. The pastor will conduct service at St. Mark's at 2 p. m.

COMING EVENTS

May 25—Tennis. State College vs. Gettysburg. Local courts.

May 29—Grammar School Commencement. Meade Building.

May 30—Memorial Day. Oration by Colonel Theodore Roosevelt.

May 31—Gettysburg High School commencement exercises.

June 3—State Grand Army encampment starts.

June 6—Base Ball. Bloomsburg Normal. Nixon Field.

June 8—Base Ball. Franklin and Marshall. Nixon Field.

June 12—Gettysburg College Commencement. Brua Chapel.

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NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that application for the transfer of the tavern license of Clinton O. Garrett of East Berlin for the year ending April 1, 1913 to Harry E. Nace, has been filed in my Office and will be presented to the Court on Monday June 3, 1912 when said transfer will be made unless exceptions are filed prior thereto.

William E. Olinger, Clerk Q.S.

St. Mark's Campanile.

The new Campanile of St. Mark's, Venice, raised on the site of the old tower, has been practically complete for months, but it has been wanting the great golden angel which crowns the tower and dominates the city. The angel has been placed in position and the removal of the scaffolding has begun.